

# ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✚ Prof. S. D. Mukhopadhyay has been conferred the fellowship of Academy for Advancement of Agricultural Sciences, Kalyani, W. B. 2025.
- ✚ Prof. Souvik Ghosh is conferred with Dr. O.P. Dahama Memorial Award 2022-23.
- ✚ Prof. Souvik Ghosh has been conferred the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS), New Delhi Fellowship 2025.
- ✚ Prof. Souvik Ghosh has been conferred the West Bengal Academy of Science and Technology (WAST), Kolkata Fellowship 2025.
- ✚ Dr. (Ms.) A. Saha received the Women Scientist Award in Agricultural Extension at the 9th International Conference on GRISAAS-2024 from 10-12 December, 2024, at SKNAU-RARI, Jaipur, Rajasthan.



Shaktiranjana Das received first prize in the Inter Departmental Quiz competition organised by Visva-Bharati Library Network.



Shaktiranjan Das received the Best Oral Presentation Award of Resilix 2026-The Research Colloquium in the 11th Annual Sustainability Summit Organised by the School of Sustainability, XIM University, Bhubaneswar.



Shaktiranjan Das delivered an invited lecture on the topic " Youth -led Agri Startup Ecosystem: Transforming Indian Agriculture" in the Botany Department, M.S College, Baramba, Odisha.



Shaktiranjana Das received the Best Oral Presentation Award in the 12th National Seminar on Futuristic Agriculture: Technology, Sustainability and Beyond, organized by the Society of Community Mobilization & Sustainable Development, held at CAU Imphal, Umiam, Meghalaya.



Mamata Nanda received the Best Oral Presentation Award for presenting a paper titled “Shaping the Future of Small Holders Through Smart Farming” at the National Seminar on “Extension Education Strategies for Digital Agriculture: Experiences and Sustainable Pathways” held at Odisha University of Agriculture & Technology, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.



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Mayuraxi Mukharjee received the Best Oral Presentation Award for presenting a paper titled “Secondary Agriculture: Pathway to Sustainable Agripreneurship” at the ISAE-AAU Regional Conference on “Sustainable and Inclusive Agricultural Transformation in North East India: Innovations, Markets and Policies for Rural Prosperity” at Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat



Miss Sunanda Barman received the Sudip Kumar Lahiri Memorial Foundation Day Award for securing 1st position in M.Sc. (Ag.) in Agricultural Extension Education at the Foundation Day 2024 held at Palli Siksha Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, West Bengal.



Miss Madhusmita Sahoo as Visiting Researcher at the Knowledge, Technology and Innovation (KTI) Group, Wageningen University & Research, Netherlands



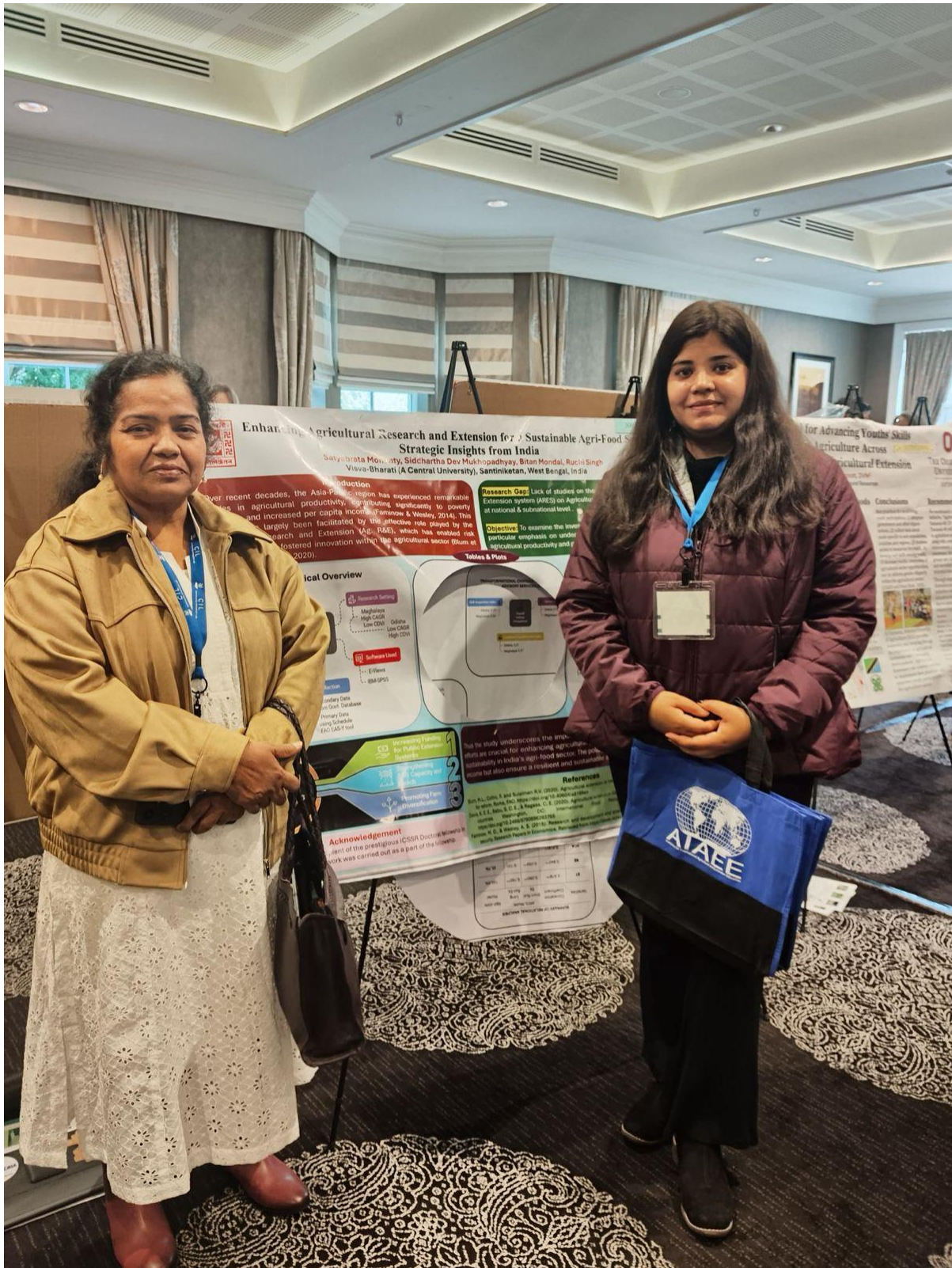
Miss. Swagata Patra received the Best Oral Presentation Award for presenting a paper titled “Impact of Agroforestry Systems in Managing Chaos in Laterite Zones of West Bengal Agriculture” at AAAS National Conference on “Transformative Approaches and Smart Technology in Plant & Animal Health for Sustainable & Climate-Ready Agriculture” at the Department of Agricultural Plant Pathology, Institute of Agriculture (Palli Siksha Bhavana).



Miss Ruchi Singh Participated in fully funded International Workshop on Empowering Early Career Researchers in Advancing Climate Resilient Agriculture Research and Collaboration, scheduled from 5-9 January 2026 at KSNUAHS, Shivamogga, Karnataka (India) being jointly organised by British Council, University of Greenwich, UK and ICSSR.



Miss Ruchi Singh participated in the fully funded International Symposium on the theme 'Resilient Planet', as part of the International Science Partnerships Fund organised by the British Council in Delhi, India, from 4 to 6 March 2024.



Miss Ruchi Singh presented a paper titled Socio-technical Innovations Bundling: An Upscaling approach towards Climate Resilience at the Annual Conference organized by the Association of International Agricultural and Extension Education (AIAEE), held in Inverness, Scotland (April 14–18, 2025).



Miss Rekha Khalkho received the Best Oral Presentation Award for presenting a paper titled “Silent Exodus: Why Tea Gardens can’t hold their Youth and Urgent Call for Transformative Extension” at AAAS National Conference on “Transformative Approaches and Smart Technology in Plant & Animal Health for Sustainable & Climate-Ready Agriculture” at Department of Agricultural Plant Pathology, Institute of Agriculture (Palli Siksha Bhavana), Visva-Bharati, Sriniketan, West Bengal.



Mr. Vishal Dey received the Sudip Kumar Lahiri Memorial Foundation Day Award for securing 1st position in M.Sc. (Ag.) in Agricultural Extension Education at the Foundation Day 2025 held at Palli Siksha Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, West Bengal.



Subhendu Sekhar Sarangi ,Best poster presentations award for presenting a paper titled BLENDING TRADITIONAL AND MODERN PRACTICES: ADOPTION OF SCIENTIFIC POULTRY FARMING FOR SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE IN GANJAM DISTRICT (ODISHA) in the 13th binennial convention and national seminar organised by society for fertilizers and environment in visva bharati, santiniketan ( march 14-15)



## VISVA-BHARATI PhD SCHOLARS' LECTURE SERIES

Topic: Empowering Youth through the Transformative Potential of Agricultural Extension for Achieving Vikshit Bharat@2047

**Speaker: Sri Shaktiranjana Das**

Research Scholars, Department of Agricultural Extension, Palli Siksha Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Sriniketan

**Organized by**

Visva-Bharati Library Network and Visva-Bharati Scholars' Club, Santiniketan

Venue – Conference Hall, Central Library, Date & Time – 12 August 2025, at 3.30 pm



**Session Chair**

**Dr Madhabendra Sinha**

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics & Politics, Vidya Bhavana, Visva-Bharati

**The Event is "For the Scholars, By the Scholars, With the Scholars"**

**Visva-Bharati Fraternity is welcome to attend the event.**



Shaktiranjana Das delivered a lecture on the eve of International Youth Day on the topic "Empowering Youth Through the Transformative Potential of Agricultural Extension for Achieving Viksit Bharat @2047" organised by Visva-Bharati Library Network.